Bungalow Allotment to All India Association for SC/ST and Physically Handicapped

2249. SHRI GANDHI AZAD: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of VIP's letters received for Bungalow allotment to "All India Association for SC/ST & Physically Handicapped" in recent past;

(b) Since when request of this Association is pending with Ministry;

(c) the details of action taken so far;

(d) the number of Bungalows/Flats allotted to NGOs/Welfare Association/Press Reporter/Correspondents till date;

(e) the number of Bungalows/Flats allotted to SC/ST Association; and

(f) by when allotment to the Association in (a) above would be made?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI AJAY MAKEN): (a) to (f) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Banning of weightlifter after doping test

2250. SHRI TARINI KANTA ROY:
SHRI PRASANTA CHATTERJEE:

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that one more weightlifter has been banned due to doping;

(b) the number of Indian weightlifters who have so far been banned for doping; and

(c) the countries where these weightlifters were sent for training?

THE MINISTER OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR): (a) to (c) The International Weightlifting Federation/ Indian Weightlifting Federation has, from time to time, taken action by way of ban/suspension against 10 weightlifters for doping violations since 2001. Of these, 4 lifters remain under ban/suspension as on date. Out of the weightlifters against whom action for banning/suspension has been